

Towards the new Long Term Strategy on Water in the Mediterranean
Joint Egyptian-Dutch Water Conference

2-3 November 2009
 Cairo, Egypt

Draft AGENDA

DAY 1 – Towards the new Long Term Strategy on Water in the Mediterranean

09.00-09.20	Opening Statements			
09.20-09.45	Key Note: The process towards the new Strategy on Water in the Mediterranean			
	Session 1. Working Group Discussions on the Key Themes of the new Strategy			
09.45-11.00	Working Group 1 Water Governance	Working Group 2 Water Demand Management	Working Group 3 Climate Change Adaptation	Working Group 4 Water Financing
11.00-11.30	<i>Coffee Break</i>			
11.30-13.00	Working Group 1 Water Governance	Working Group 2 Water Demand Management	Working Group 3 Climate Change Adaptation	Working Group 4 Water Financing
13.00-14.30	<i>Lunch Break</i>			
14.30-15.30	Working Group 1 Water Governance	Working Group 2 Water Demand Management	Working Group 3 Climate Change Adaptation	Working Group 4 Water Financing
15.30-16.00	<i>Coffee Break</i>			
16.00-18.00	Session 2. Multi-Stakeholder Panel 'Looking to the future: What are the key water challenges in the Mediterranean that the Strategy should respond to'			
18.00	Summing up of Day 1			
18.00-18.30	<i>Press Conference</i>			
20.30	<i>Reception</i>			

DAY 2 – Climate Change Adaptation and Water in the Mediterranean

09.00-11.00	Session 3. Climate Change Adaptation and Water in the Mediterranean Presentations by High Level Speakers from Governments and International Organisations, followed by Questions and Answers
11.00-11.30	<i>Coffee Break</i>
11.30-13.15	Session 4. Water for Sustainable Development in the Mediterranean Presentations by High Level Speakers from Governments and International Organisations, followed by Questions and Answers
12.45-13.00	Presentation of the draft Mediterranean Statement on Climate Change Adaptation and Water to be transmitted to COP 15 UN Climate Change Conference, Copenhagen
13.15-14.30	<i>Lunch Break</i>
14.30-16.00	Reports from Working Group 1 to 4 followed by Questions and Answers
16.00-16.30	<i>Coffee Break</i>
16.30-17.45	Multi-Stakeholder Panel 'Acting for the future: How we will effectively meet the objectives of the Strategy'
17.45-18.00	Conclusions and Conference Closure
18.00-18.30	<i>Press Conference</i>